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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.	ADDRESS TO: Attorney Docket No. 1863-001A First Inventor Barbara L. Barros Title Graphic Information Flow Method... Express Mail Label No. EL 132002779 US
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4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 29]	a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- 9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- 10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
- 11. English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
- 12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
- 13. Preliminary Amendment
- 14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
- 15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
- 16. Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
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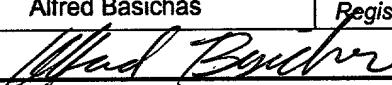
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Prior application information: Examiner _____ Group Art Unit _____

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101 710	201 355	Utility filing fee	\$370.00		
106 320	206 160	Design filing fee			
107 490	207 245	Plant filing fee			
108 710	208 355	Reissue filing fee			
114 150	214 75	Provisional filing fee			
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES					
Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid		
	-20** =	X	=		
Independent Claims	- 3** =	X	=		
Multiple Dependent			=		
Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20			
102 80	202 40	Independent claims in excess of 3			
104 270	204 135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid			
109 80	209 40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent			
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent			
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105 130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath		
127 50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		
139 130	139	130	Non-English specification		
147 2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
112 920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
113 1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		
115 110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month		
116 390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month		
117 890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month		
118 1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month		
128 1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month		
119 310	219	155	Notice of Appeal		
120 310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
121 270	221	135	Request for oral hearing		
138 1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
140 110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable		
141 1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional		
142 1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
143 440	243	220	Design issue fee		
144 600	244	300	Plant issue fee		
122 130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
123 50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)		
126 180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
581 40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
146 710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))		
149 710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))		
179 710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
169 900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application		
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